

CLAIMS AMENDMENTS

1 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid comprising an electronic display having a plurality of display zones located in a side by side relationship, each display zone adapted to provide a display independently of the other display zones, each display zone capable of sequentially displaying all the letters of an the alphabet and a control adapted to cause causing the sequential display of the letters at each display zone, said control including at least one operator controlled switch selectively activating each said display zone to display said letters in a predetermined order and to select one letter for each display zone; each display zone retaining a respective letter for display while letters are being selected in the other display zones.

Claims 2-5 CANCELLED.

6 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim 5 1 wherein the control means-includes an operator controlled second switch whereby the display zone to be controlled by the first switch can be selected by operation of the second switch.

7 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim [[4]] 1 wherein said control includes a plurality of switches and wherein each display zone is controlled by a separate first switch.

8 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim [[4]] 1 wherein said control includes wherein each first switch comprises a pair of switches where each

switch is able to activate the display zones to sequentially display the letters in opposite order to the other ~~first~~switch of said pair of switches.

9 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed claim [[1]]8 wherein the control comprises a computer program adapted to control a computer and/or processor to provide a display of the ~~ef~~ display zones and adapted to control the display at each display zone to cause the letters to be sequentially displayed at each display zone and for a selected letter to be retained the respective display zone by operating said pair of switches.

10-14 CANCELLED.

[[(ORIGINAL). A memory aid as claimed at claim 9 wherein the control enables an operator to operate a first control whereby the letter displayed can be changed sequentially.

11 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim 9 ~~or 10~~ wherein the control is adapted to cause the display zones to be activated sequentially.

12 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim 10 ~~or 11~~ wherein the control ~~means~~ enables an operator to operate a second control whereby the display zone to be controlled by the first control can be selected by operation of the second control.

13 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim ~~10 and any one of claims 11 or 12 as dependent from claim 10~~ 10 wherein each display zone is controlled by a separate first control.

14 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim 10 or 13 or any one of claims 11 or 12 as dependent from claim 10 10 wherein each first control comprises a pair of controls where each control is able to activate the display zones to sequentially display the letters in opposite order to the other first switch.]]

15 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at any one of claims 9 to 14 claim 9 wherein the computer program is incorporated into a telephone having a visual display such as a mobile phone and having a processor; and wherein whereby the program can be activated and operated by manipulation of the keypad of the telephone to show said letters on said visual display.

16 CANCELLED.

17 (CURRENTLY AMENDED). A memory aid as claimed at claim 16 comprising a set of display elements which each comprise a disc, said discs being concentrically supported in an overlying relationship, for independent rotation about a central axis, each display element having a display face which comprises an axial face of the respective disc, said discs being of differing diameter and arranged such the smallest disc is uppermost and the underlying discs being of increasing diameter with the lowermost disc having the greatest diameter, the display elements associated provided with an annular display area defined around the outer perimeter to be visible from above the, the display elements supported within a housing comprising a pair of opposed panels within which the display elements are rotatably supported, the uppermost panel having having a plurality of display zones located radially across the uppermost panel, the display zones being in one to one correspondence with the display faces, whereby the portion of the respective display area underneath the respective display zone is visible through the display zone, whereby each display element is independently moveable relative to display zone to cause the display face of each display element to be moved past the display zone, each display zone

bearing all of the letters of an the alphabet and wherein each letter of a display face can be independently and selectively viewed at the display zone, the control comprising a portion of each display element being exposed such that it~~which~~ can be manually manipulated to cause the relative movement of the display elements.

18-26 CANCELLED.

27 (NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 17 wherein the display zones are defined by apertures in the uppermost panel.

28 (NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 17 wherein the display zones are defined by transparent portions in the uppermost panel.

29(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 17 wherein the panels are provided with a set of opposed pairs of indicia at radially spaced positions across the panels, the pairs of indicia being in one to one correspondence with the each of the display areas and each located such that the respective display element can be retained in position by the application of clamping pressure to the respective pair of indicia.

30(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 17 wherein the letters of the display area of the outer display element are arranged in alphabetical order and the letters of the display area of the other display element are arranged in groups comprising the consonants and the vowels.

31.(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 30 wherein the vowels of the other display elements are ordered according to their order in the alphabet and the consonants are ordered according to their relative ranking in use.

32(NEW) A memory aid as claimed claim 6 wherein the control includes a computer programme adapted to control said to first and second switches.

33 (NEW) A memory aid as claimed claim 7 wherein the control includes a computer programme adapted to control said switches.

34 (NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 1 wherein control enables the letters of the a first display zone to be displayed sequentially in alphabetical order and the letters of other display zones to be sequentially displayed in groups comprising the consonants and the vowels.

35 .(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 34 wherein the vowels of the other display zones are ordered according to their order in the alphabet and the consonants are ordered according to their relative ranking in use.

36(NEW) A memory aid comprising a set of display elements which each comprise a disc, said discs being concentrically supported in an overlying relationship, for independent rotation about a central axis, each display element having a display face which comprises an axial face of the respective disc, said discs being of differing diameter and arranged such the smallest disc is uppermost and the underlying discs being of increasing diameter with the lowermost disc having the greatest diameter, the display elements provided with an annular display area defined around the outer perimeter to be visible from above the, the display elements supported within a housing comprising a pair of opposed panels within which the display elements are rotatably supported, the uppermost panel having a plurality of display zones located radially across the uppermost panel, the display zones being in one to one correspondence with the display faces, whereby the portion of the respective display area underneath the respective display zone is visible through the display zone, whereby each display element is independently moveable relative to display zone to cause the display face of each display element to be moved past the display zone, and wherein each letter of a display face can be independently and selectively viewed at the display zone, a portion of each display element being exposed such that it can be manually manipulated to cause the relative movement of the display elements wherein the panels are provided with a set of opposed pairs of indicia at

radially spaced positions across the panels, the pairs of indicia being in one to one correspondence with the each of the display areas and each located such that the respective display element can be retained in position by the application of clamping pressure to the respective pair of indicia.

37(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 36 wherein each display zone bearing all of the letters of the alphabet.

38(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 36 wherein the display zones are defined by apertures in the uppermost panel.

39(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 36 wherein the display zones are defined by transparent portions in the uppermost panel.

40(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 37 wherein the letters of the display area of the outer display element are arranged in alphabetical order and the letters of the display area of the other display element are arranged in groups comprising the consonants and the vowels.

41.(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 40 wherein the vowels of the other display elements are ordered according to their order in the alphabet and the consonants are ordered according to their relative ranking in use.

42(NEW) A memory aid comprising a set of display elements which each comprise a disc, said discs being concentrically supported in an overlying relationship, for independent rotation about a central axis, each display element having a display face which comprises an axial face of the respective disc, said discs being of differing diameter and arranged such the smallest disc is uppermost and the underlying discs being of increasing diameter with the lowermost disc having the greatest diameter, the display elements provided with an annular display area defined around the outer perimeter to be visible from above the, the display elements supported within a housing comprising a pair of opposed panels within which the display elements are rotatably supported, the uppermost panel having a plurality of display zones located

radially across the uppermost panel, the display zones being in one to one correspondence with the display faces, whereby the portion of the respective display area underneath the respective display zone is visible through the display zone, whereby each display element is independently moveable relative to display zone to cause the display face of each display element to be moved past the display zone, each display zone bearing all of the letters of the alphabet and wherein each letter of a display face can be independently and selectively viewed at the display zone, a portion of each display element being exposed such that it can be manually manipulated to cause the relative movement of the display elements, wherein the letters of the display area of the outer display element are arranged in alphabetical order and the letters of the display area of the other display elements are arranged in groups comprising the consonants and the vowels..

43.(NEW) A memory aid as claimed at claim 42 wherein the vowels of the other display elements are ordered according to their order in the alphabet and the consonants are ordered according to their relative ranking in use.